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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the (X) utility, () design, () plant patent application of:

Inventor(s): **Wolfgang DRAHM et al**

For: **PROCESS METER**

Enclosed are:

(X) 36 page(s) of specification (X) 5 page(s) of claims

() _____ page(s) Abstract (X) Unexecuted Declaration & Power of Attorney

(X) 7 sheet(s) of (X) formal () informal drawings

() An assignment of the application to _____

(X) Preliminary Amendment () Information Disclosure Statement

() Associate Power of Attorney () Verified Statement Under 37 CFR 1.9
and 1.27

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FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE		AMOUNT
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Basic Fee Utility	XXXXX	XXXXX	\$770.00	\$385.00	
Design	XXXXX	XXXXX	\$340.00	\$170.00	
Plant	XXXXX	XXXXX	\$530.00	\$265.00	
Total Claims	- 20 =		x \$18.00	x \$9.00	
Independent Claims	- 3 =		x \$86.00	x \$43.00	
Multiple Dependency			\$290.00	\$145.00	
Late Fee Surcharge			\$130.00	\$65.00	
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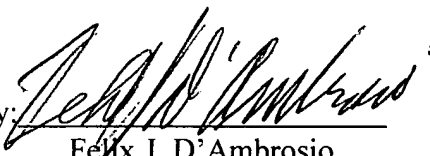
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(X) Priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 based on the following:

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<u>60/432,658</u>	<u>December 12, 2002</u>	<u>U.S.</u>

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Respectfully submitted,

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LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN

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Sir:

Submitted herewith are proposed corrections to Figures 2, 6 and 7 for the Examiner's approval. Upon the Examiner's approval, the formal drawings of the above-noted figures will be corrected.

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